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## Will Proceed With 'Half-Kosher' Plan

L. I. HOSPITAL BARS  
NEW KASHRUT TALKS

NEW YORK (NJP)—Negotiations between the Committee for Kashrut at the Long Island Jewish Hospital and the Board of Trustees of the hospital were broken off this week, as the board, indicating its refusal even to consider a plan for an all-kosher kitchen, flatly refused further to discuss the issue.

Jack Altman, vice president of the board, giving the board's reply to a request by the Committee for a meeting further to discuss the issue, stated that it was the unanimous decision of the board that further discussion "would lend only to further misunderstanding and embittered feeling in view of the statement expressed many times by members (of the Committee for Kashrut) and others that a satisfactory solution could be achieved by having only kashrut."

## WILL INSTALL KOSHER AND NON-KOSHER FACILITIES

The board also clearly declared its intention to proceed with its "fair and just" plan to install both kosher and non-kosher facilities, on the grounds that "total kashrut would be an infringement on the freedom of choice of those who do not eat kashrut. Those who want kosher facilities, Altman explained, would have them under the hospital program.

Calling upon the Committee for Kashrut to cooperate in carrying out the "compromise" proposal, the board said the plan was worked out with great care and was the fairest possible arrangement that would serve "all sections of our diversified community."

## 'AFFECTS EVERY SELF-RESPECTING JEW'

Rabbi I. Usher Kirshblum, chairman of the Committee for Kashrut, scored the "compromise" proposal, declaring: "I personally intend to bring this issue throughout the entire Metropolitan area. This is a problem that affects every self-respecting Jew."

He told The Post: "No observant Jew will ever accept the kashrut of a hospital if the patient in the next bed is eating non-kosher food."

Rabbi Kirshblum was also sharply critical of the hospital's action in turning down \$350,000 in contributions earmarked for the establishment of an all-kosher kitchen.

"In these critical days when funds are so hard to raise," he declared, "the turning down of such a sum of money must be questioned as to whether it is in the interests of the Jewish community."

## CHARGES HOSPITAL ACTED UNILATERALLY

He also held that the decision of the hospital board was made without consulting the community, while the Committee for Kashrut feels that "we speak on the community's behalf."

Reform, Conservative and Orthodox rabbis and laymen, and Jewish groups not in themselves committed to any specific approach to religious observance, have supported and actively participated in the two-year fight for all kosher facilities at the hospital.

Representatives of the various groups will participate in a conference Monday, May 19, at the Jamaica, L. I., YMHA, to protest the hospital board's refusal to adopt the all-kosher plan.

ZOA SPONSORS CONFAB  
ON 'JEWISH LIVING'

NEW YORK (NJP)—A conference to acquaint Zionists with the foremost issues confronting the American Jewish community will be held at the Hotel Commodore here this Saturday evening and all day Sunday under the auspices of the Zionist Organization of America.

The meeting is part of the ZOA program to get Zionists to play a more active role in American Jewish affairs nationally and locally. It was organized by the Committee on Community Organization, headed by Dr. Joseph Tenenbaum. (NJP, Feb. 8, 1952)

Panel discussions will take place on a variety of topics, including the relationship between Israel and Diaspora Jewry, the role of the synagogue, historical trends in the Jewish community, the role of Hebrew and Yiddish literature, the "Jewish center" and community relations.

Speakers at the sessions will include Dr. Salo W. Baron, professor, Columbia University; Rabbi Philip S. Bernstein, president, Central Conference of American Rabbis (Reform); Dr. Nelson Glueck, president, Hebrew Union College (Reform); Dr. Nahum Goldman, chairman of the American section of the Jewish Agency; Dr. Jacob Hartstein, Dean, Yeshiva University (Orthodox); Dr. Mordecai M.

Kaplan, Reconstructionist leader and S. Niger, noted Yiddish writer.

The conference is dedicated to the theme of "creative Jewish Living."

Twice-Decorated Officer  
Wins Legion of Merit

PHILADELPHIA—Lt. Col. Joseph Gurfein, recently returned to the U. S. after nearly 17 months in Korea, has been awarded the Legion of Merit for "exceptionally meritorious service."

Now executive officer of the Philadelphia District of the Army Engineers, Col. Gurfein twice was awarded the Silver Star Medal during his Korean service—once for action at Changjin Reservoir and again for his role in the struggle at Heartbreak Ridge.

Gurfein was graduated from the U. S. Military Academy at West Point in 1941, and holds a master's degree from Harvard University.

## FALLS ON SHAVUOT THIS YEAR

JWV Bars Posts From  
Memorial Day Exercises

By BEN GALLOB

National Jewish Post Correspondent

NEW YORK (NJP)—The national office of the Jewish War Veterans of America (JWV) in a sudden reversal of policy, has issued instructions to all member posts against participation in Memorial Day exercises this year because the holiday falls on Shavuot. The Post was informed this week.

Issuance of the directive followed a poll of members of the JWV national policy committee, which was taken as

a result of negotiations opened by American rabbinical organizations on the problem.

A suggestion that the JWV formally order a ban on such participation had been turned down in discussions held May 5 between Rabbi Harold H. Gordon, general secretary of the New York Board of Rabbis (NYBR), who had been delegated to approach the national JWV officials, and Benjamin Kaufman, national JWV director.

## POSTS RAISE ISSUE

The issue originally had been raised by individual JWV posts in the New York area, when members began addressing queries around May 1 to the Brooklyn Board of Rabbis, the Bronx Council of Rabbis, and to Rabbi Simon G. Kramer, president of the Synagogue Council of America, which represents nationally the three wings of American Judaism, lay and rabbinical.

Brought before the NYBR, the matter was discussed informally and it was decided to advise individual JWV questioners against participation in Memorial Day parades and other exercises. It was also decided to approach the JWV national office for an organization-wide ban.

## COMMITTEE POLLED

A few days after the May 5 turndown, the JWV decided, because of the rabbinical urgings, to poll its national policy committee which earlier had discussed the problem and had voted to leave the matter to individual posts. As a result of the poll, the new directive was prepared Monday, May 12, and sent to all JWV posts.

Prior to the policy switch by the JWV, Rabbi Gordon had told The Post that several arguments were developed as a basis



RABBI HAROLD GORDON  
A matter of self-respect

for dealing with queries from individual posts.

## STRESS RELIGION

The rabbinical stand was that there were other opportunities during the year for parades, and that the JWV, like other American patriotic groups, has been stressing the urgent need to strengthen religion in the present ideological struggle against Communism. The concurrence of Memorial Day and Shavuot, the rabbinical groups argued, offered the JWV a significant opportunity to practice such preaching.

The rabbis also argued that there was the matter of Jewish self-respect, in addition to the question of public relations, to consider, and that Jews ought not to be concerned primarily with what some of them "think the Gentiles will think" in deciding such problems.

Finally, the rabbinical groups contended, the parades will occur at just about the time of the day—around 11 a.m.—that Shavuot services will be in progress, and, as a Jewish group, the JWV should not be highlighting its

absence from the synagogue by marching in the parades.

The same arguments were presented by Rabbi Gordon in his talk with Kaufman, who told the NYBR official that while he personally favored a complete ban, he had been outvoted at the policy committee meeting. Kaufman said that a factor in the policy committee discussion was the fact that in small towns, "Jews are scared about this sort of thing," fearing that non-participation in Memorial day exercises might be "misunderstood."

## REFUSED LIST

Rabbi Gordon then asked Kaufman if the NYBR could have access to the JWV mailing list to inform the various posts of the rabbinical stand. Kaufman replied he did not believe this could be done and that anyway, quicker action could be obtained if the rabbis in each city with a JWV post were contacted directly.

Rabbi Gordon then suggested that he felt a letter should be sent to Paul Ginsburg, national JWV commander, both to apprise him of the rabbinical position and for guidance in future JWV policy, a proposal Kaufman promptly endorsed.

Following the conference, the NYBR drew up a letter to be sent to 1,500 rabbis throughout the country, outlining the problem and urging the rabbis to confer with officials of local JWV posts to make arrangements for JWV participation in Shavuot services, rather than in parades.

As a result of the new JWV national decision, Rabbi Gordon said, that letter had been cancelled and a new one prepared, which reports on the new ban and suggests various means by which JWV participation in Shavuot services can be arranged.

Israel Rabbinate OKs  
Argentina Beef

JERUSALEM — The Israeli Chief Rabbinate last week conceded a point in what seems to be a jurisdictional battle, when it declared kosher 867 tons of a 1,127-ton shipment of Argentina meat.

The Israel Chief Rabbinate accepted a report from Rosario, Argentina, source of the meat, that the 867 tons had been slaughtered under strict supervision.

Earlier, the Chief Rabbinate had declared trefa a 3,000-ton shipment of meat from Argentina. Charging that kashrut supervision was inadequate, the Rabbinate further had demanded supervision of meat kashrut activities in Argentina, indicating it would otherwise regard all meat there as trefa. (NJP, May 2, 1952)

General Zionists Lead  
In S. African Elections

JOHANNESBURG, S. Africa—Twenty-eight per cent of the votes were won by the German Zionists in the Zionist elections here last week. Twenty-three per cent of the 28,000 votes cast were won by the Labor Zionists, 21 by the Revisionists, 17 by the Non-Party Zionists and ten by Miz-rachi.

German Students  
Rap Neo-Nazism

HEIDELBERG (WNS) — A conference of 60 delegates representing 3,600 university students in German universities, last week denounced the anti-Semitic activities of neo-Nazi student bodies. The Liberal Students Association urged liberal students of the country to combat anti-Semitism wherever it manifested itself.

Sharett Will Address  
UJA Conference

CHICAGO—Foreign Minister Moshe Sharett will address the emergency two-day National Conference of the United Jewish Appeal (UJA) here on May 24-25. Following his address to the conference, which will climax the UJA's special May drive to raise ten million dollars in cash, Sharett will visit major communities in various parts of the country.

## Abyssinian Meat for Israel

JERUSALEM—The first 10,000 tons of meat to be imported from Abyssinia is expected to arrive in Israel in June. Twenty shochtim (ritual slaughterers) left for Abyssinia last week, in a plane chartered by the importing company, to prepare the meat.



## 57-YEAR-OLD ANTI-BIAS BATTLE CONTINUES

# Arson Threatened Resort Owner Who Accepts Jews, Negroes

By HYMAN CHESTER

National Jewish Post Correspondent

MILWAUKEE, Wis. (NJP)—A northern Wisconsin resort operator has complained to state and federal authorities that his neighbors and competitors threatened to burn his place down because he accepted Jewish and Negro guests on an equal basis with white Christians. There were also hints that his life might be in danger if he continued his policy, he charged.

Lyle Olson, who runs the Somo Heights resort on Somo lake, northwest of Tomahawk, Wis., said that he had complained of intimidation to authorities in Lincoln county, where his business is located, and in Oneida county, where he lives. They refused even to investigate, he said.

## SOUGHT HELP

He then sought the help of Robert Gordon, Milwaukee, who represents the B'nai B'rith Anti-Defamation League, and George Brawley, of the Milwaukee Urban

League, an interracial organization.

Gordon and Brawley took the case to Vernon W. Thomson, state attorney general, and Thomas Fairchild, United States district attorney, both of whom have offices in Madison the state capital.

Thomson ordered an immediate investigation and promised prosecution if any law violations were found. Fairchild said he would seek to learn whether there was any conspiracy to injure, threaten or intimidate a citizen in the free exercise or enjoyment of his rights. Such a conspiracy, he said, would be a violation of federal law.

## LAST-DITCH FIGHT

The case touched off anew—practically on schedule with the

start of the vacation season—the 57 year old battle to enforce non-discrimination in the state's recreation spots.

Resort operators are among the last few persons still fighting a Wisconsin human rights statute first placed on the books in 1895. The law is one of the few in the country with teeth. A person convicted of denying the full and equal enjoyment of public facilities to any person because of race, creed, color or national origin is liable to the offended person for damages of not less than \$25 and court costs. He must also be punished by a fine of not more than \$100, or six months in jail, or both.

## BAN BIASED ADS

An amendment passed last year forbids advertising, such as "restricted clientele" or "Gentiles Only," which seeks to circumvent the law. Violators can be punished as above.

The governor's commission on human rights, which works to bring about compliance with the law through education and persuasion, says that the reports of discrimination are becoming fewer each year—although some-

times an individual occurrence seems more vigorous than others. Mrs. Rebecca C. Barton, director of the commission, said that there were discrepancies in Olson's complaints which she would investigate.

## DON'T WANT JEWS

Olson told the attorney general that a group of Tomahawk people had called upon him to talk over his policies at the resort. Some became belligerent, he said. One businessman boasted that there wasn't a single Jew in the town, and declared they didn't want any. Another claimed that a civic tourist information service had been successful for years in brushing off Jews and Negroes who wanted resort reservations.

The group talked about an "unwritten law" against "these people" around some vacation areas, Olson reported. Pressed for a reason, they said only that minority groups "ruined the country," said Olson.

## LICENSE REVOKED

His liquor license was revoked on a technicality, Olson said. When he applied to the town board for a new license he was told, unofficially, that he would never get it. The board has not yet acted officially on the application and the lack of a license is hurting business, he complained.

Before the license was revoked, liquor suppliers suddenly informed Olson that all future purchases would be "cash and carry." Anonymous persons have telephoned the owner of the mortgage on the place, suggesting that Olson's operation would depreciate the property.

## 'CONSPIRACY'

All these things suggest, Olson declared, that a conspiracy has been formed against him. Olson does not own the resort, but leases it from Paul Senzik, who approves of the policy. Olson took over the Somo Heights lease just recently, but he has operated the Squash Lake Inn on a nondiscrimination policy for years without trouble. Apparently the fact that he has expanded his operations is worrying bigots in the area, he said. The Tomahawk region is 200 miles northwest of Milwaukee.

Bruno Bitker, a Milwaukee attorney and Jewish member of

the human rights commission, says that the official campaign to make Wisconsin a vacation land for all is succeeding despite such incidents.

"The number of resorts which discriminate is small," he says. "The times have changed and the biased must flow with the tide or be engulfed by their hatreds."

## LETTERS SENT

Bitker said that 6,500 resort and hotel operators recently had been sent letters explaining the law anew, especially the amendment prohibiting discriminatory advertising. Several hundred replies were received, he reported.

"A few were very critical of our efforts," he said, "but almost 90% of those who wrote letters to us enthusiastically endorsed our work."

"The right of individuals to choose their friends is not affected by the law," Bitker stated. "But it is something entirely different for an operator of a place of public accommodation to force the public to conform to his own personal bias, or even to the prejudices of some of his guests."

## MUST ACCEPT LAW

"If a resort owner wants to accept the bounties of tax money by having a paved road built past his property, his business advertised nationally and his lake stocked with fish, then he must be willing to recognize not only the law of the land but the basic American principle that all men are created equal."

Dr. L. H. Adolfsen, of Madison, another commission member, said that progress in ending discrimination had been "reasonably good." He asserted that virtually all discrimination signs and advertising had disappeared and that substantially less discrimination is now practiced than in the past.

## ACT PROMPTLY

Radio broadcasts are made regularly by the commission, aimed at stating the case for equality. Literature on the subject is distributed. When the commission gets a complaint, it investigates. If it finds that an offense has been committed, it usually persuades the offender to apologize and to state publicly that the law will be followed in the future. It also tries to persuade the offended person to accept apologies, shake hands and forget it, rather than prosecute.

The plan has been successful in uncounted cases. Barbers who refused to cut the hair of Negroes apologized and then cut the hair. Restaurant owners who refused to accept Jewish groups

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# Rebbitzin 'Decodes' Document Taken from Red Prisoner in Korea

TOKYO, Japan (NJP)—Now it may be revealed how a rebbetzin, wife of a U. S. Army chaplain in the Far East command, helped G-2 (Army Intelligence Section) decipher a mysterious document found in possession of a Chinese prisoner in Korea.

The heroine of this tale of intrigue is Mrs. Judith Scolnic, wife of Chaplain Samuel Scolnic and daughter of the late Dr. Ben M. Edidin, author and educator.

One evening late in April, Mrs. Scolnic was invited to have dinner with a Jewish family in Tokyo, where she resides while her husband is off on his tour of duty.

Among the guests was a Jewish captain assigned to G-2 of the Far East Command. During the course of the conversation, Mrs. Scolnic had an opportunity to disclose that she was a rebbetzin and had attended the Teacher's Institute of the Jewish Theological Seminary in New York.

The following Saturday morning Mrs. Scolnic received an urgent telephone call from General Headquarters. Could they send one of their officers over to consult with her, they asked.

Shortly thereafter, the captain, her former dinner companion, arrived, bearing a large, black briefcase which was securely locked. Informing her that she had been closely investigated as to her citizenship, etc., before she was called, the captain drew from the briefcase a sealed envelope. From this envelope he drew a yet smaller envelope marked "classified."

Excited and tense over all the mystery and extraordinary precaution, she was handed a photostatic copy of a tiny almost illegible piece of paper, which G-2 was asking her to decode.

Her Jewish background and Hebrew training, it developed, served her in better stead than any G-2 training in intrigue. For the mysterious document, she soon discovered with the aid of a magnifying glass, turned out to be a Hebrew inscription, the "Tillat ha-Derech," an ancient Hebrew prayer recited before setting out on a journey.

The captain was not satisfied until she had translated the "coded document" word for word, then confessed that it had been taken from a Chinese prisoner in Korea.

Whether this Chinese was a descendant of the now extinct Chinese Jews of Kai-feng-fu, or whether he had merely found this document and carried it as a charm, has not been ascertained.

However that may be, G-2 probably has acquired a healthy respect for rebbetzins with Hebrew training.

## JEWISH WELFARE BOARD CONVENTION BARS SABBATH BUSINESS MEETINGS

NEW YORK (NJP)—The National Jewish Welfare Board (JWB) last week announced that constituent groups holding weekend conclaves are to schedule "no formal or informal business meetings" on the Sabbath.

The policy, adopted at the biennial convention held in Detroit two weeks ago, provides for local, regional and national bodies of the JWB to observe the Sabbath by arranging for services on both Friday evening and Saturday morning. The convention recommended an Oneg Shabbat program for Sabbath afternoon.

"The Sabbath day should be so planned as to provide a significant spiritual and cultural experience for all who attend and should reflect the role of JWB in the American Jewish community," the resolution stated.

## Return Body of Miamian Killed in Israel

MIAMI BEACH, Fla.—The body of Paul Giller, who was killed in a truck-train collision in Israel, is being returned here for burial. Giller, 31-year-old son of Ben Giller, local contractor, was killed when a truck in which he was riding to Haifa was struck by a train. He had settled

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## Anti-Bias Battle

(Continued from preceding page) apologized and changed their policies.

### OTHERS DOUBTFUL

Groups outside the human rights commission are not so sure that discrimination is decreasing, however. A Milwaukee post of the American Veterans Committee reported last year that it had made a survey and learned that five out of six resorts in one area discriminated on the basis of religion.

In fighting for the latest amendment to the law last year, Gordon told the state legislature that a survey showed that 39 out of 79 resorts had a restrictive policy, 14 had a questionable policy, 8 failed to answer, and only 18 indicated no discrimination. Supporters of the law included the major labor groups, League of Women Voters and Social Welfare groups.

The answer of the resort owners was put into the legislative record by J. W. Johnson, Heaford Junction, Wis., president of the National Resort association and the Selected Resort association.

### FAVOR SLOW CHANGE

"We do not intend to lose our right to choose our friends, associates and companions," he said. "An attempt to force resorts to change their policies overnight would bring chaos and financial disaster to many."

Resort owners who will give their views say typically that they only follow the prejudices of the great majority of their guests—they don't make those prejudices—and any resort which steps out of line loses the patronage of the prejudiced. They feel that most of their patrons are prejudiced against minority groups and that a nondiscriminatory policy would be disastrous. They argue that a slow, educational process is the only thing which can eventually bring about equality.

## U.S., Israel Sign Aid Agreements

TEL AVIV—The U.S. and Israel last week signed two agreements, which carry a total allocation of \$143,000,000 to Israel, within the framework of the U.S. Mutual Security Act of 1951.

The first agreement, for \$13,500,000, is for economic aid, and the second, for \$8,000,000 is for mutual technical aid.

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## Hero Medal Urged for Negro Who Died Trying To Save Jewish Boy from Drowning

By HARRY HOFFMAN

National Jewish Post Correspondent  
PHILADELPHIA (NJP)—This city, scene of recent "Hitler Youth" vandalism, is disregarding racial and religious barriers as citizens from all walks of life rally to the aid of the family of a Negro who gave his life in a vain effort to save a little Jewish boy from drowning.

Spurred by The Philadelphia Inquirer, which has established a Mander Fund, a tide of contributions is flowing in to save from destitution Mrs. Thelma Mander, an expectant mother, and her three small children, Joseph, Jr., 9; Esther, 4, and Marguerite, 18 months.

The Mander family was left facing a life

of want and struggle on May 4, when Mander, an electrician at the Philadelphia Naval Base, was fishing along the Schuylkill and saw 7-year-old Paul Waxman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Waxman, topple into the stream.

Mander plunged into the swollen river in the vain but heroic attempt to save the struggling boy, only to lose his own life in the rushing, icy current.

While the fund of contributions is swelling, with more than \$5000 in contributions already received, the Strawberry Mansion unit of the Jewish Community Relations Council has voted to recommend a Carnegie Hero Medal for Mander.

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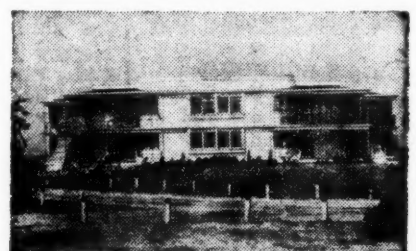
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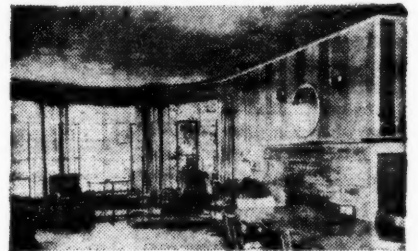
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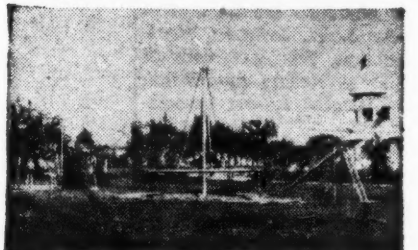
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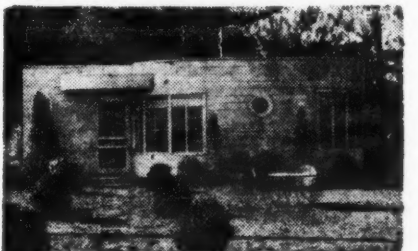
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# POLICE SEEKS 'BRAINS' BEHIND YOUNG ANTI-SEMITIC GANG

By HYMAN CHESTER

National Jewish Post Correspondent  
MILWAUKEE, Wis. (NJP)—Police have launched a search for the "adult brains" behind a gang of 18 high schools boys who were arrested for distributing anonymous anti-Semitic literature. The gang called itself the American Action Army.

The admitted leader of the group is a 17-year-old high school senior of German parentage. The boy insisted that he and his friends were not acting as stooges for anyone, but the officers said there were indications that older persons were directing them.

## WILL REFER TO FBI

Police Chief John W. Polcyn said the case would be referred to the FBI for further investigation after all local angles had been cleared up. It was the first outbreak of public anti-Semitism here since activities of the German-American Volksbund, in pre-World War II days.

John L. Coffey, an assistant city attorney, said the boys and any leaders found would be prosecuted under a city ordinance which forbids the distribution of anonymous publications which tend to incite religious or racial hatred. The penalty for conviction is a fine of from \$10 to \$500, or a jail term of 10 days to 6 months.

## ENTERS SYNAGOGUE

The arrests were brought

about after a masked youth dashed into the lobby of the Beth El Ner Tamid synagogue during a meeting of the Men's club. The youth shouted to attract attention, then flung a batch of publications to the floor and fled. The gang leader admitted that one of his "army" was responsible.

The materials distributed by the boys were mainly crude mimeographed copies of statements from Common Sense, a tract published by Conde McGinley, a rabid anti-Semite of Union, N. J. Some cards had been printed on a letterpress. One pamphlet was signed, "Christian Freedom Society, Inc." Another publication apparently came from Denver, Colo.

## HIGH I.Q.

In general, the material accused all Jews of being Communists and Russian spies and of endangering the United States for personal greed.

The gang leader is apparently

a boy of high intelligence in most matters. He has an I.Q. of 137 and his scholarship is excellent, Chief Polcyn said that the boy apparently had disturbing personality problems. He did not make friends easily, the chief said. He outdistanced his classmates in many studies which apparently did not offer enough of a challenge to him.

Police said the boy's parents are intelligent persons who seem to have no part in his activities. They are reported as tolerant of other races and religions. They co-operated with police in all requests after their son's arrest.

## FOUND AT SCHOOL

Sidney Cayles, executive director of the Milwaukee Jewish Council and the B'nai B'rith's Anti-Defamation League, said that the boy's activities first came to light about three months ago when some of the pamphlets were found in school.

Sayles said he and school authorities questioned the boy and learned that the student was bitterly anti-Communist and was using attacks on Jews as an outlet for his feelings. He said he offered the boy authentic anti-Communist literature, but that the boy insisted that the right way to fight Communism was by fighting Jews.

## 'ALL SPIES JEWISH'

The boy declared again and again: "All atom bomb spies in this country and abroad are Jewish."

No attempt was made to prosecute the boy after his activities came to light. His parents' aid was enlisted in an attempt to turn him into other channels,

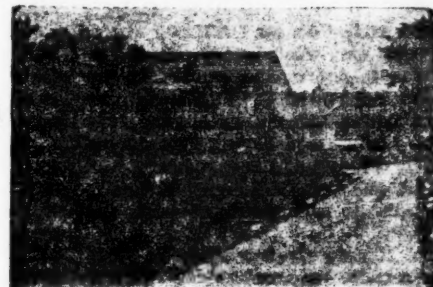
but they were unable to accomplish their goal.

The area in which the boys were active is a relatively new and fast growing northwest residential section in which both the German and Jewish populations are increasing rapidly. New synagogues and new churches have been built, some side by side, and others are in the planning stage.

# Turkish Court OKs Ban On Anti-Jewish Party

ISTANBUL, Turkey—Turkey's ban on the anti-Jewish Democratic Moslem Party was upheld last week by the High Court of Appeal. The Government also is preparing legal action against Jevat Atilhan, who continues to lead a Jew-baiting campaign throughout the country.

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## Anti-Semitic Drive in South Africa Grows, As Bigots Seek Ban on Shechita

JOHANNESBURG, S. Africa—A Jewish-born South African who has not identified himself with the Jewish community is one of the central figures in the anti-Semitic drive that has grown out of the recent racial tension in South Africa.

Harry Oppenheimer, fabulous diamond miner who once was characterized by Prime Minister Daniel Malan as "Hoggenheimer," has been the object of bitter attack by Malan's white supremacist Nationalist Party.

Malan himself last week lashed out at Oppenheimer, who is one of the leaders of the anti-Nationalist opposition in Parliament, as having "more power today than anyone ever had in South Africa" and having "placed his millions" at the disposal of the opposition.

Most of the anti-Semitic activity has originated from groups not connected with the Nationalist Party.

Just as the Nazis and chauvinists in other lands have paraded themselves as animal lovers, and anti-Semitic campaigns in Poland, Roumania and other countries started under

the guise of kindness-to-animals drives, so have some of the South African anti-Semitic groups led off with a campaign to ban shechita (Jewish ritual slaughtering) as "inhumane."

Another group, Die Boerenasie, whose overtures the Nationalists previously had rejected, has issued a leaflet claiming that the wife of Seretse Khama is of Jewish origin, and that the Jews are seeking to mongrelize the white race by advocating miscegenation. (Seretse is the Negro African ruler who married a white British woman, and subsequently was de-throned and banished by the British, partly, it is believed, to appease the South African white supremacists.)

Within the Nationalist Party itself, the old guard has renounced the recent anti-Jewish attack of one of its representatives in Parliament, and other anti-Semitic activity. Some younger members, however, continue to pepper their public remarks with anti-Semitic sentiments. Pro-Nationalist anti-Semitic hecklers, too, continue to make themselves heard at public meetings.

## ISRAEL, ARABS EXEMPT FROM HOUSE AID CUT

WASHINGTON (NJP)—Aid to Israel and the Arab states was left intact as the House Foreign Affairs Committee voted to cut the 7.9 million dollar foreign aid bill by about one billion dollars.

A similar cut, voted previously by the Senate Committee (NJP, May 9, 1952), would have included a one million dollar reduction in aid to Israel. The House cut would apply only to European aid programs for the entire Middle East.

In the Senate, meanwhile, Senator Herbert Lehman, N.Y., has introduced an amendment to the Senate aid measure, which would exempt Israel and the Arab states from the proposed billion dollar reduction.

Arthur Z. Gardiner, State Department economic adviser, testifying before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee on the aid program, declared that a major aim of U.S. foreign policy

## 'Germany Above All,' Almost . . . That Is

BONN, Germany — "Germany, Germany" is still "above all," but not "above all in the world," according to the new mode in which the national anthem of the Hohenzollern Empire and Weimar Republic will be sung.

Last week proclaimed by President Heuss as the anthem of West Germany, the hymn now will be sung at all official functions and by the West German radio stations at the end of each day's broadcasts.

But only the third stanza will be sung—because it does not contain the perhaps overzealous words "Ueber alles in der Welt" ("above all in the

in the Near East is the achievement of Israel's political and economic stability.

The U.S. hopes to achieve the solid integration of Israel into the area, he said, within the framework of the United Nations, by a peaceful settlement of Israel-Arab problems

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## REPORT FROM HOLLYWOOD

### ACTORS CAESAR, MONTGOMERY BETTER WATCH HEBREW ACCENTS

By SHIMON WINCEBERG

THAT ISRAEL Independence Day broadcast over NBC, which consisted of "The Bitter and the Sweet," by Millard Lampell, turned out to be quite a dignified, well produced, and warmly funny program, though some of the "Israeli" jokes, I suppose, could just as well have stayed in Milton Berle's gag file.

Sid Caesar, who portrayed a sort of cross-sectional Israeli, proved himself expert and versatile both as an actor and as a comedian, though his accent had a lot more of Yonkers than of Yarkon about it. And it probably wouldn't have hurt if some one had coached Caesar, and narrator Robert Montgomery, a little better in their pronunciation of Hebrew words.

If I had a postcard handy, I'd probably send it to UJA, 165 West 46 St., NY 36, and get a free copy of the script.



DOING ITS bit for brotherhood and goodwill on the local TV screens during Easter week, Hollywood station KTTV came up with a pre-Coolidge silent film about the Easter story, in which the villains, one of whom is conspicuously dressed in t'fillin, are identified on the title card as "Spies of the High Priest—Driven by the fury of religious hatred."

If it weren't about thirty years too late, one might have pointed out to Spy No. 2, that he's wearing his t'fillin-shef-rosh much too low on his forehead.

To such depths does the fury of religious hatred drive people.

WEEKLY VARIETY reports a refreshing statement from Paul Ginsberg, national commander of the Jewish War Veterans, to the effect that, "We have not endowed ourselves with the right to dictate what kind of pictures producers shall make, nor do we regard ourselves specially mandated to tell exhibitors what kind of pictures they may show."

Mr. Ginsberg makes no secret of his objections to films like "The Desert Fox" and "Oliver Twist," but points out that "JWV doesn't think there is anything wrong with the motion picture business that can't be rectified without resorting to blacklisting."

A PRE-FABRICATED Hollywood column distributed to a privileged few hundred by Warner Bros. each week, flashes that "Hedy Lamarr is searching for three leading men for her independent production, 'Esther.'"

Which puts her two up on the Megilla, unless you count the Raymond Massey-type, who'll wind up as Mordechai, and the Joseph Schildkraut-type who'll dangle in the final reel.

ANONYMOUS PACKAGE in the mail. Plain white box. Inside, on a white card, scribbled in a moron handwriting, "You have a date with this on—, 8:30 p. m., No signature. Under the card, packed in pink cotton, a carbine bullet.

Dialled the publicity department of Stanley Kramer with unsteady finger, asked them if this was part of their promotion campaign for "The Sniper." After some hedging, was informed that it was. Told the man I would like to record negative reaction. Ehr-meint az do in Hollywood leckt men honig.

## Weisgall Named Head Of Cantor's Institute

BALTIMORE—Dr. Hugo Weisgall, composer and conductor, and son of Cantor Adolph Weisgall, has been appointed chair-

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## WOMEN'S VIEWPOINT

## WHEN DOTING MOTHER WRITES LETTER TO WANDERING HUSBAND-EDITOR

by HELEN COHEN

LETTER to a wandering Jewish editor:

Someone told me they expected me to describe my reactions to your trip. What did they want me to do, turn this corner into a wailing wall?

By the time this is printed, we hope to have you home again and it will be none too soon for us. Will serve you right if your young Jennie has forgotten her father, though the other five, being used now to having papa away on trips, impatiently await your return.

Today (I write this as Mother's Day draws to a close), it has been especially hard to have you gone. Not only am I far from my own mother, but the father of my children isn't here to help me celebrate my role as a female parent. I remedied that a little, by talking long distance to my mom, and it was a good thing I did, as her gift, which I ordered Tuesday, had not arrived yet.

Didn't get to tell you too much before you left, about my visit home for the bar mitzva.

It was everything I had hoped it would be. I was pleased that I could be there to help Shirley celebrate her simcha, and I had a chance to see all the family and old friends, but I had another reason for wanting to make the trip.

I wanted Jennie and her relatives to get acquainted. With all of the children, I've minded that they go through childhood with only an occasional glimpse of and from their kinfolk, and at five months our Jennie is as completely edible, as adorable as—well, as a five-month-old can be. I can report that she (and two-year-old Ben, to a lesser degree) got made over and admired abundantly enough to satisfy even their mother.

As usual, grandpa spent all his spare moments with Jennie in his lap. She was prodded to laughter so often, she was gurgling when no one was around.

And there was the day, when her great-aunt Gussie came over to help her grandma bake apple strudel for the bar mitzva, that Jennie was treated to a new hairdo with a curl on top, put there, by her aunt, with sugar-water to make it stay.

A very satisfying visit.

I WENT TO HEAR RABBI SOLOMON GOLDMAN WHEN HE spoke here. He told he this was the first time in 25 years he's been down to Indianapolis, and you had to be out of the city.

I rather think it was a mistake to have Rabbi Goldman talk on "minimal standards of observance."

Here was one of the great Jewish scholars of our time (in his own words, he had "invested" 45 years of his life in the Bible) in the role of debunking traditional practices.

And who was his audience? Who goes to the trouble these days to come to a Jewish lecture from even the most renowned of our leaders? That remnant whose love for Judaism is evinced by their continuing to cling to Jewish customs through all difficulties.

In my small way, I have the same feeling of bitter irony in my writing. The many columns I have filled in exposing with clear reasonableness the illogic of Orthodoxy's stands. Yet who reads The Post, who is interested in a Jewish newspaper, more than the traditionalists who cling to all things Jewish?

Well, enough of this. It will be good to have you home. Then we can start looking forward to you first-born's bar mitzva. Did I say looking forward? I meant getting ready.

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Finkelstein

Dear Mr. Pearlroth:

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SIDNEY J. FINK  
Newport News, Va.

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## Israeli, American Jews Don't Understand Each Other

MUCH has been written about the failure of the Israelis to understand American Jews. Less has been written about the inability of American Jews to comprehend what it is that makes the Israelis act and think as they do.

The problem is the lack of a common forum for the interchange of ideas. There is no place in either community where the public opinion of one can be reflected in a medium which reaches the other.

When Golda Myerson comes to the U. S., she has one job to do—raise funds or sell bonds. When Ben Gurion visits the U. S., he may want to unburden himself freely, but he is the head of a government and he must be circumspect in his free expression.

In time, this situation will be remedied. That will be when large independent publications will be established—large enough to be free to present all the views and to be able to pay for the experts to do it.

Each could help the other in the areas of the former's greatest capacity and the latter's

greatest need.

But at present, the one learns about the other only at times of crisis. This projects a totally wrong impression, harmful to the immediate and future goals of both.

Not all American Jews are quite like the Americans the Israelis know. In some cases they are better, and in others worse. But they definitely are not all like those whom you hear praised or criticized in Israel.

The possibilities that the Jewries of Israel and America should develop along totally different lines and actually become estranged, should not be dismissed altogether.

When the instrument for bringing the two communities closer together will be developed and become truly influential—whether through an overseas edition of The Jerusalem Post, the expansion of Commentary magazine, the development of a truly influential Anglo-Jewish publication in the U. S. which will report on Israel as The N. Y. Times reports on world developments, then will we be able to put aside the fear of estrangement.

## Israel Beginning To Resent Help From U.S. Jewry

IN ISRAEL, you will meet with a surprising unanimity of resentment and actual opposition to charity from U. S. Jewry.

This has nothing at all to do with being grateful. The Israelis are people of deep appreciation for the help that they have received.

But they are growing less appreciative of direct financial help.

They have come to feel that dependence on outside help will be ruinous. It is natural for any people to be independent, and the Israelis are a proud people.

Tied in with this feeling is the growing realization of the Israelis that the American Jew is not coming to Israel to live. For years it was utterly incomprehensible to the Israelis that American Jews could be so secure that now that Israel is open they would refuse to move there.

By now, however, the realization is beginning to seep through. In fact, you do not hear often, if at all, what other American Jews reported was always asked them, "When are you coming here to live?"

If, then, the American Jews' contribution is always to be strictly a financial one, that is something else again. It means that there is no commitment to Israel other than that of giving, and this the Israelis who feel stronger the sense of peoplehood with all Jews everywhere, resent. To them it is a form of cowardice, a cowardice, they believe secretly even if they

## Israel Shifts to Capitalism

IF UP until this point there could have been some doubt about the kind of economic system Israel would establish, whether truly socialist or part socialist and part capitalist, at least for the next few generations—it must be clear today that Israel is heading toward a strong capitalist economy.

Even Ben Gurion and Golda Myerson and the other leaders of the Government must realize now that the socialist economy they had striven to achieve must be delayed for decades.

But economists, who are not usually swayed by emotion, see very clearly that socialism is as dead today in Israel as is Arab feudalism.

Had Israel been a nation with large natural resources, it could have exported these to achieve a balance of trade, against her imports.

Had there been no iron wall between Israel and the Arab nations, perhaps Israel could have duplicated England's achievement. Also a land without too much in the way of natural resources, England developed a healthy economy by manufacturing imported raw materials and selling the finished products to the lands from which the raw materials had been imported.

This not being the case with Israel, the only possibility is to permit foreign capital to exploit the land. And on this long avenue to economic self-sufficiency Israel is now embarked. More and more, day by day, Israel is committing herself to this kind of development.

Actually there is no choice.

If Ben Gurion does not concede that Israel will have to go whole-hog in transforming what were solid foundations for a strong socialist economy into thorough capitalism, then he has less leadership quality than he has thus far demonstrated as being endowed with.

He may hope to keep a tight control over the capitalistic trends, which seems to have been his policy up until this point.

If Ben Gurion were to balk, Israel would develop into a capitalistic nation regardless, albeit with another party in control, whether the General Zionists or a reformulated Mapai.

The fight now is to develop capitalism quickly enough to save the nation's economy.

do not so express it, for which American Jews will one day pay as did the German Jews.

American Jews friendly to Israel are slowly beginning to realize that the Israelis have a right to develop as they themselves decide. In the U. S., the policy among Jewish organizations of interfering in internal Israeli affairs is still strong, but nonetheless declining.

Israel Jews too must learn to understand and be willing to concede to U. S. Jewry the right to manage its own internal affairs, and develop its own views and attitudes.

The present resentment is natural. No recipient of help likes to receive the help even when it is essential. He longs for the day when he can declare his independence of financial assistance just as Israel longed for the day of political independence.

There is another aspect to this situation.

Many Israelis feel that the bulk of the funds given to Israel go into the coffers of the present government for use for party purposes and others than those for which they were originally intended. Right or wrong, this is their attitude, and of course does not make them feel more kindly towards continuous help.

Obviously, this is all the result of misunderstanding, but like misunderstandings of all kinds has some basis in fact. But that the misunderstanding should grow is totally unnecessary. The quicker it is dissipated, the better.

There is no time left for idealistic dalliance. Israel's financial position is precarious, and only speedy economic expansion can remove Israel from this unfortunate position.

The possibilities for economic development of Israel actually are unlimited. Any American businessman can grow wealthy here in no time. The market is unlimited; there is no problem of demand, or of a labor supply. The problem is with raw materials and foreign exchange and, of course, with the intrusion of socialist theories on economic exploitation.

It is truly unfortunate that Israel at this time has not been able to mature as a self-sufficient socialist nation in which the goals would be those which liberal Americans hope someday to win for the United States.

Israel might have provided the answer to the ills which are plaguing the world in the economic sphere. But that is not to be, at least not for the next few generations. Those who refuse to concede the actualities of Israel's situation today are not helping her to find a way to live in self-respect economically but are only speeding an economic debacle.

The only real hope is that economists who bring their capital and know-how to Israel will be Jews who will have a real concern not alone with profits but also with the line of Israel's development.

In the United States there are capitalists and there are capitalists. Some are only despoilers whose one concern is to amass wealth. Others are altruistic men of real stature, who are motivated not by greed alone, but also reveal a sense of justice and responsibility in their business activities.

These are the type of Jewish industrialists from the United States that Israel needs.

The other type will come too, which is why the morality of the Israel population must be strong enough to avoid being engulfed by capitalism's well-known appeal to the baser motives of human behavior.

An economically sufficient Israel is desirable, but it is not for business acumen that the world looks to Israel.

## THE EDITOR'S CHAIR

HERE I am in Israel. If I right into the sea.

don't seem properly thrilled, it may be because I am trained by profession to reserve, or for any number of reasons.

I would prefer to withhold any conclusions about this glorious place until I am back in my editorial sanctum, far from Israel, where I can weigh my impression against good common sense, but the demands of The Post are otherwise. In this issue I am scheduled to write about Israel, whether I am prepared to do so or not.

At the risk of being platitudinous, I must tell you that my expectation of Israel did not tally with what is here. The general outlines were just as I had read about them. But the real thing is as different as if I had been reading about South Africa or Siberia. I suppose it is just human nature or the difference between being told about something or someplace and actually seeing it yourself.

### THE ONE BIG IMPRESSION,

where I had been most wrong on this score, was in the quality of the farm lands. This is a verdant country, with lush vegetation, and with tremendous potentialities of reclamation. What already has been reclaimed is no different from the Bluegrass region of Kentucky with which I am most familiar and which, you will concede from having read about, is supposed to be one of the garden spots of America.

Everything here is valleys. Whereas in the United States you are in this state or near that city, in Israel you are in the Emek (valley) of the Sharon, or Hefer, which is part of it, or Jezreel, and so on.

If the low Sharon Valley reminds me of Kentucky's Bluegrass region with its beautiful farmlands, the Zevulun and the Jezreel are exactly like the valleys in the Smoky Mountains, except that the mountains here are not so towering, and the valleys here are more fertile. But Morristown, Tenn., and thereabouts, is not at all unlike the Emek or the Jezreel.

### WE ARRIVED FIRST IN TEL

Aviv, which is nothing but a sprawling city built on the sea, and which, even though it is the most courteous city I've ever been in, with everyone saying "b'vakasha" at almost any and every occasion, is no more Israel than Atlanta, Ga., is the United States.

But Haifa—that is such an entrancing place, a gorgeously beautiful city, which reminds me of San Francisco, it is so breathtaking. Just as in the Golden Gate city, where from every view you see the ocean, so in Haifa are you spellbound with the painfulness of the beauty, if you will allow me a little poetic license.

Build your home on the Carmel when you get here. The Hi Sandersons (she's Rena Shenson from Louisville) have only a small apartment on the Carmel, but from their balcony you look

### Nazi Mimic Sentenced To 18 Months in Jail

BOHN, Germany—Fritz Roessler, Nazi, who, as "Dr. Franz Richter," was elected to the West German Parliament, last week was sentenced to 18 months' imprisonment. The Jewish Chronicle of London reported from here.

Arrested in Parliament last February, Roessler pleaded guilty to faking documents, making false affidavits, assuming a false name, impersonating a teacher, and fraudulently running for Parliament.

He is expected to appeal his sentence.

I DO NOT WANT TO SOUND ecstatic about Israel, for that is not at all how I feel after five days in the land.

I saw the two large coastal cities, walked through Jaffa, drove through the Sharon and Hefer valleys, out from Haifa through the Zevulun, and down into the Emek from Nazareth (where I went through the Church of the Annunciation), and back to Haifa.

Leaving the Zevulun, we drove up into lower Galilee, where we spent some time with Bernie Popkin, now Dov Peleg, a most remarkable American, who was a colonel in the Israel Air Force and now is running Hasolelim, the General Zionist kibbutz, outside of Zipori.

That has been the extent of our travels thus far.

We will go to Sasa, Tiberias, Safed and Kfar Blum from Thursday through Sunday, stopping for Shabbat at Kfar Blum, then Sunday to Jerusalem for the dinner which Ben-Gurion is giving for the Americans in honor of Independence Day, then down to Elath, back to Jerusalem for three days, back to Tel Aviv to interview some important people, and then home.

All of this in only a day more than two weeks.

### IF YOU COME HERE YOU

couldn't see what I have seen and talk to the people I will have interviewed in months.

I want to thank those who have been so helpful to me, both in Israel and in the U.S. before I left, to make it possible for me to do all this in so short a time. I would list them now, but I'm afraid if I mention Fay Doron, M. Z. Frank, Harold Goldenberg and David Lanvers in Israel, and Mendel Fisher, Avraham Harman and Judd Teller in the U. S., I will have forgotten someone.

So if I am not thrilled, it may be because I am getting old, or worried about how The Post is managing without me (Note: We were kept busy, boss. Signed, The Staff), or too cynical, or merely taking on a protective coloration.

### I HAVE TALKED WITH A

great number of people, and am trying to categorize everything in my mind so that I can discuss with you in future issues the Israel I have seen.

Some things are quite clear already, but others are more confused. I hope to come back here at least twice a year for periodic visits.

It took me quite a while to break the ice, but now that I've been to Israel I assure you I will visit it quite often.

### French Poet Honored

PARIS (WNS)—Henri Hertz, French-Jewish poet and Zionist leader, was decorated last week by the French Government with the title of "Officer of the Legion of Honor."

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## B'NAI B'RITH SPONSORSHIP OF 'BAGELS AND YOX' DISTURBS HIM

Editor, National Jewish Post: Of all the trashy entertainment that clogs the American stage and airwaves, none is quite as worthless and devoid of even a scintilla of what is generally regarded as good theatre, as the moronic hodgepodge called "Bagels and Yox," that played at one of our theatres on Sunday, April 27th.

Mr. Norman Nadel, the theatre reviewer of one of the newspapers, was quite wrong when he termed "Yox" a Jewish colloquialism; there ain't no such animal in the Jewish language! What the defamers and mud-slingers at the Jewish name and traditions apparently had in mind originally was to call their theatrical abnormality "Bagels and Lox," as the two go so well together; but after discovering that Lox was considerably more expensive than the doughy hard-baked Bagels, which are distributed to the audience to crunch at through intermissions, they settled for "Yox," which is neither fish, flesh, nor fowl, but is in accord in its meaning with the sublimity of the presentation.

What baffles the intellect is why an organization like B'nai B'rith which seeks in every nook and cranny defamers of Jewish character and action, should import our own defamers to ridicule and bespelt our name and traditions as if they were the most obnoxious among the nations.

When Oliver Twist was recently shown, the Anti-Defamation section of the B'nai B'rith raised its clarion voice to the skies in protestation against release of the picture, because the thief and scoundrel, Fagin, was—for some unsavory reason by the author—portrayed as a Jew, and demanded that it be taken off the moving-picture-boards.

But the movie by Dickens was at least art of a sort, excellently produced and faultlessly played;

still we were in a rage because we couldn't imagine such a character could be Jewish.

Now comes along "Bagels and Yox" heaping tons of "shmoots" upon the Jewish people. And the B'nai B'rith big shots, together with the little ones ha-ha themselves to exhaustion.

It's so funny! Jewish boys and girls, graduates from the Catskill soup and borsht circuits, singing badly, dancing badly, and acting badly, furnish them the thrill of their lives with their suggestive wiggling, putrid jokes, and songs whose lyrics couldn't have come from any other place but the dunghill.

Like other classes, the taste of a good many of our people of the present generation is primitive and vulgar, but is this a reason why an organization like B'nai B'rith which delights in parading as leading its followers to ever-higher glories in appreciating Jewish culture and achievement should sponsor a "farzenish" like "Bagels and Yox," and flood the city with propaganda of its colossal artistic and entertainment values?

The grand excuse of course is that the treasury of the organization is not as full as its leaders would like it to be, and the above "macheraike," even though offensive, coarse, indecent and foul, offers the most lucrative promise to have it filled again.

The very serious question arises then why is it that the local B'nai B'rith and its charming Ladies' Auxiliary can find nothing more delightful in the form of entertainment to offer to their members, and others, than atrocities like "Bagels and Yox," and "Borshtcapades," which long ago have earned the epitaph: "Here lie skunkweeds and putrefactions. Do Not Disturb!"

Wouldn't these organizations do a greater service to the entire tribe of Israel in general and to their co-religionists in their own

## Ted Lewis Cited For 'Jewish Pride'

Editor, National Jewish Post: The problems of small-town Jewish communities . . . remain the most serious and aggravating of problems on the Jewish scene . . .

In our community of some half-dozen Jewish families it was not possible to conduct services on four of the five days of this season's Passover holiday, (because) lack of sufficient pride in their Jewish heritage on the part of one family which allowed its two sons to attend school during the holidays, prevented us from having the required quorum for services.

By coincidence, we had the opportunity to witness an excellent display of Jewish pride by none other than our own "Tragedian of Song, bandmaster Ted Lewis (Theodore Friedman to us)," during his welcome home appearance here.

For me, the enthusiastic acclaim of the more than 3,000 persons, over 2,950 of whom are non-Jews at the reception, and the personal pleasure of seeing him perform, were eclipsed by his closing remarks.

Ted said, "This is what made me, a boy of the Jewish faith, feel proud to return to Circleville: In my home town there is no hatred, no anti-Semitism."

The overwhelming majority of his audience was not interested in Ted's . . . religious or racial heritage. Nevertheless, he proudly reminded them of it.

Let's have more of that Jewish pride!

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environment in particular, by sponsoring, if sponsor they must, attractions of real merit; attractions that gladden the eye, caress the ear, and warm the heart, and leave the villifying, blasphemous, and besmirching impuri-

## DIGEST OF YIDDISH PRESS

## BEN GURION TRYING HARD TO MAKE PEACE WITH ABBA HILLEL SILVER

By RABBI SAMUEL SILVER  
DOES DAVID Ben Gurion want to make peace with Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver?

The Day's David Flinker says BG is so anxious for peace that he entrusted the mission of seeking reconciliation with the Cleveland Zionist leaders to Eliezer Libneh, a right-wing Mapai member of Knesset who was recently in the U. S.

However, after Libneh's return to Israel, Flinker heard that the peace effort had failed.

All Americans Are Equal, Especially the Council  
IN ITS distaste for the American Council for Judaism, the Yiddish press always reacts with scorn to its pronouncements and activities.

Writer after writer points that the Council members hail Judaism as a religion, then neglect the religion, that they denounce nationalism and then wave the American flag until they're red, white and blue in the face, etc.

Another approach is to spoof the ACJ by dubbing it with names which the writers think are more expressive of its real aims. Such sobriquets as the American Council against Zionism, the Apologetic Council for Judaism, the

Council against Judaism have been used.

The latest entry in this name-giving derby is S. Dingol's, of The Day, who labels the outfit: The Un-American Council for Judaism.

## Calls for Taft To Repudiate Anti-Semites

WHY DOESN'T Sen. Robert Taft shake off the support of anti-Semites who have grabbed his coat-tails in Colorado?, asks an editorial in The Day.

The high state is in a high state of excitement over the shenanigans of an outfit which calls itself "Fighters for MacArthur" and has come out for Taft.

Out-and-out anti-Semites, the "fighters," led by one Kenneth Goff, have been denounced by Sen. Johnson, the American Legion, the VFW and most newspapers, but Sen. Millikin, Taft's Colorado man, has refused to repudiate them, saying that he doesn't want the aid of anti-Semites but he will accept the aid of all MacArthurites.

The Millikin statement is not satisfactory, says The Day, adding its belief that Gen. MacArthur himself would reject the "Fighters for MacArthur."

## Playwright Behrman's Unself-conscious Jewishness

S. N. BEHRMAN, one of the nation's most gifted playwrights, has been feted on Broadway on the completion of 25 years of creating writing.

The Day joins in bestowing accolades upon the writer in an article by H. B. Linder who pays tribute to Behrman's unself-conscious Jewishness and his occasional pieces in which the sweet piquancy of his Jewish home life is warmly described.



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A SOCIAL AND RELIGIOUS HISTORY OF THE JEWS, by Salo Wittmayer Baron. Columbia University Press. Vol. 1 and II. \$12.50.

By MEYER LEVIN

THE first two volumes of Prof. Baron's eloquent and monumental classic are here made available, newly revised, and it goes without saying that they belong in even the smallest serious collection of Jewish books. These volumes cover the



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period "from the beginning of our history to the end of the Talmudic period—about 500 D.

The text has rather the tone of a continuous essay than of a history. Here in an unending flow is the commentary of a great mind putting together all the evidence as to the growth of our ideas in religion, in ethics, in social life. His scholarship is vast, yet the work is not interrupted for chunks of quotations and authorizations. All is integrated into the flow of his own thoughts, so that what we have is summary

and conclusion, supported by a complete study of sources.

THERE IS CONSTANT illumination in these thoughts.

For instance, to the root controversy as to whether Moses invented monotheism or drew it from Egyptian or desert tribal sources, Prof. Baron has this thought to add: "In the last analysis, however, the God of Moses differed essentially from all these Gods.

"After the great feat of creation, the 'maker' of the primitive becomes an inactive God without further relation to the world or man. Not even the Egyptian Aton, the pervasive sun ray which is the source of all life, has a direct interest in human actions.

"The God of Moses, however, was anything but a deus otiosus, anything but a morally indifferent natural entity. The chief task facing the Hebrews was immediate action—motion forward, struggle, the storming of Canaan; and their God, as one might expect, became a God of

Action . . ."

This is the method of interpretive history, always taking into account the geographic conditions, the economic and social determinants.

Among the most illuminating sections of the work are those on the period of exile, and the return.

The treatment of Christ, while it confirms the accepted scholarly view of his preachments as a compendium of what other teachers and rabbis were preaching at the time, nevertheless brings out his dynamic qualities as an individual, qualities strong enough to have projected down to our own day. Judaism itself was stronger, and this becomes clear, and will become clearer in the ensuing volumes of this monumental work.

★ ★ ★  
UNDERGROUND, by Joseph Tenenbaum. The Philosophical Library. \$4.50.

THE indestructible quality of the Judaism whose beginnings Prof. Baron so beautifully delineates are witnessed in this comprehensive account of the Jews of Poland, and of their end, that was nevertheless not an end.

In the unrelieved catalogue of murder and mass-murder, one is struck again and again by the fact that the final efforts of the last survivors of a community were devoted to a hiding, a preservation of records. For they knew that Judaism was not dead and would not die and that their material would be needed in the continuing account of our development.

Thus, one of the very last survivors—not of the Warsaw ghetto, but of the ruins of the ghetto, where little groups held out for months—kept up his historic diary as his group was shredded from forty to thirty, twenty, ten, three . . .

IN TENENBAUM'S HISTORY, one encounters bits of source material used by John Hersey in "The Wall." A large section of Underground is devoted to the story of the Warsaw ghetto, and the scope of the rebellion appears here much greater than it did in the Hersey novel.

After Warsaw, Tenenbaum accounts for Lodz, Czestochowa, Lublin, Bialystok. He covers the death-camps, and the fate of the smaller communities, and of Lemberg, Wilno, Cracow.

He tells of the Jews who fled to Russia, and when confronted with the hard life there, unwittingly fled back to the German occupation and death. The whole ghastly picture of the fate of the six million is here brought together. It is relentless, it is depressing, but it is necessary to go over it again, and again, and there will be no catharsis for us until we have assimilated this history.

Every pitiful heroism, every spark of resistance is here given its due.

Dr. Tenenbaum set himself a grim but heroic task and has accomplished it well.

There are elements among us today who avoid contact with such material with the blib excuse that it is masochistic. "Why do we have to hear about it? They're dead." But no man has peace until he knows how his brother died. And the least he can remember is that every gesture of resistance, of heroism, was made for us, the living.

## Israel at Film Festival

CANNES, France—Three Israel film shorts were exhibited at the International Film Festival here last week. "Yom Atzmaut" ("Independence Day") was directed by Victor Vicas, and "The Day Has Come" and "Village Wedding" were directed by Yehoshua Bertoni.

## I THINK AS I PLEASE

SOME JUST WEAR THEMSELVES OUT  
WHEN ATTENDING UJA DINNERS

By CARL ALPERT

IN RECENT years the United Jewish Appeal dinner became a major social event in the community.

As a result of skilful relations management by the committee, every Jewish family in town which wanted to be considered socially acceptable simply had to be present.



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The attendance last week was the best in many years, and the committee, meeting the night before, surveyed the reservation list with satisfaction. If all these people showed up there seemed little doubt that the town's quota of \$185,000 would be filled.

They showed up all right, in all their glory and all their splendor. And they came early, too, not only to take advantage of the free cocktails, but also to be in a position to check on other arrivals and, for the women, to see what

the others were wearing.

The evening was a complete success—well, in almost every respect. The cocktails were plentiful, the food delicious, the settings beautiful, the music pleasant, the crowd congenial, the speaker inspiring. What more could one ask for?

OH, YES, THE PURPOSE OF THE AFFAIR—that little matter of filling the quota.

The announcement of contributions went quickly at first, and all those who had been primed in advance were given the proper attention and applause.

Thereafter the amounts were called off more slowly, and consultations between husband and wife became more frequent. That is to say, there were no actual whispered huddles. A nod of the head, a furtively scribbled figure on a napkin, a kick in the shins under the table—these and other signals very adequately conveyed the exchange of opinions whereby the couples arrived at their decisions as to how much to give.

The decision was not an easy one to make, considering all the factors involved.

One had to consider how much the neighbors gave; one had to consider next summer's vacation and whether to send one or both children to camp; one had to consider the income tax proportion. The cause was a good one, of course, but that was a minor consideration. Some of the typical reactions may be of interest.

MR. A. MADE MENTAL CALCULATIONS. He had just bought his son, a college freshman, a pale blue Cadillac convertible, and it would look bad if he reduced his gift. He announced the same \$500 as last year.

Mr. B. leaned over and picked up his wife's gold fitted vanity which had slipped to the floor. It was a glittering item, with clusters of diamonds and rubies forming an exquisite rose. He announced \$750, roughly ten per cent of the cost of the vanity, and was given a warm hand.

Mrs. C. felt chilly and therefore wore her platinum mink jacket at the table. Why check it, when it had been purchased especially to be shown on this occasion? Her husband contributed \$250—and paid cash on the spot!

Mr. D. eyed his wife admiringly. She wore a simple diamond brooch (price tag, \$5,000) and earrings to match. She was really charming, and in a sudden burst of generosity he announced a \$1,000 gift. Perhaps the committee could buy a brooch and earrings for some of the poor orphans in Palestine, that is, Israel, he thought.

Mrs. E. carefully replaced her 8-button white doeskin imported French gloves, and then raised a delicate gloved hand for all to see. She wanted to give \$50 of her own money—and that was in addition to her husband's \$50 she made it clear.

Mrs. F. stroked her Mexican chihuahua. The poor dear. The committee at the door had had its doubts about permitting the dog at the dinner—as if it would eat very much! Her husband's \$500 contribution served notice to them!

THERE WERE MANY OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS, of course, and the observer found himself identifying the donors by their distinguishing hallmarks.

A Schiaparelli creation gave \$150; a pair of elegant silk sandals contributed \$50 to the UJA; a 7-carat emerald-cut diamond ring announced \$1,000, less than the cost of a single carat; a velvet John Frederick cap bobbed at a gift of \$175.

Yes, it was a successful evening, and the men and women agreed that it had been a brilliant and sparkling affair.

Financially? Oh, yes, financially too.

They raised only about half the necessary quota of \$185,000 for the United Jewish Appeal, but financially it was a great success. More than a quarter million dollars worth of jewelry, clothing and accessories was on display and everybody was properly impressed. Plans are already being made for what will be worn at next year's event.

MacIver Report  
Analysis To Appear

NEW YORK (NJP)—The Jewish Reconstructionist Foundation reported this week that the "first full-scale, objective" analysis of the MacIver report on Jewish civic defense agencies will be published under its auspices next week.

The report was prepared by Abraham G. Duker, Jewish historian and sociologist, on assignment

by the Foundation. The 125-page analysis is titled, "Jewish Community Relations: An analysis of the MacIver report." Rabbi Harold Weisberg, Reconstructionist spokesman, told The Post that "there has been so much heat and so little light since Prof. MacIver's findings first became public that we felt it was urgent to make available to the American Jewish public an objective and unbiased analysis."

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## IN AND OUT OF BOOKS

### WHEN A LITERARY COLUMNIST CLEARS HIS GRIPE-SHELVES

By HAROLD U. RIBALOW

**ODDS AND ENDS** on the Jewish book business:

One upon a time, the Jewish novel dealing with immigrant life in America was concerned with the problem of poverty, with changing Jewish mores, with the Americanization process. Now the novels are dealing increasingly with gangsterism and drug addiction.

Promising novelists like Leonard Bishop ("Down All Your Streets") and George Mandel ("Flee the Angry Strangers") may have produced angry books with a proletarian angle in the thirties or forties.

Today—you get the impression that the average Jewish family has drug addiction on its collective mind. And if you follow this further with the recent performances of Irving Shulman and Harold Robbins, you'd swear that every Jew you meet who has managed to remain honest is a freak.

**A FEW YEARS AGO**, you could more or less expect that your Jewish novel, if you wrote one, would be reviewed in The Times or The Saturday Review or The N.Y. Herald Tribune. Now, you can only hope.

Notice that A.M. Klein's "The Second Scroll" received a few reluctant words in The Times and nothing in The Saturday Review of Literature. Michael Blankfort's "The Juggler" has not yet been reviewed in The SRL.

Recognition, which is harder to eat than royalties, comes even harder than the infrequent royalties.

**AND TOO FEW** of the English Jewish periodicals across the nation (this includes the journals—weekly, monthly, quarterly, etc.) review Jewish books with regularity.

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One monthly, published by the American Jewish Committee, reviews some half-dozen books an issue—half of them of a completely general, or non-Jewish nature. That may be admirable, but not to the Jewish writer, who finds himself shut out of the general journal—and the Jewish one as well.

**AND THERE IS** the trend of literary magazines giving Jewish books to non-Jewish writers, to review, deliberately.

In many cases, the non-Jewish writer doesn't know the subject at hand well enough to judge its accuracy; at times he is, understandably, reluctant to rap a Jewish book (for fear that Jews might think he is you know what); and generally the book gets treatment—when it is reviewed at all—which is often quite different from what it deserves.

**A FINAL COMPLAINT**—and this seems to be the week for them—why don't periodicals—Jewish and general—review books as close to publication date as possible, so that if there are any benefits accruing, the writer may obtain them?

If we are to hope that Jewish writers will create a body of Jewish work, rather than solitary efforts, critical notice—serious notice, undertaken promptly, may keep them in the Jewish field, and not send them scurrying into the best-selling orchards of historical romance and sex-and-sadism.

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Rabbi Morris Lazaron and Elmer Berger, anti-Zionists, are reportedly affiliated, has informed journalists in the Arab lands she has visited of the Society's intention to serve the Arab cause.

One of the aims of the Society, she is reported to have said, is to acquaint Americans with "the true state of affairs in the Arab world" and "to counteract the effects of Jewish propaganda."

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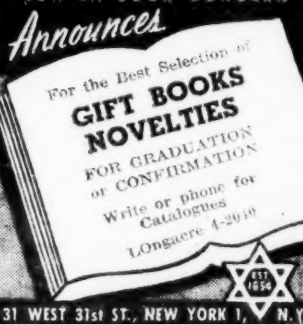
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## 'SIGNIFICANCE FOR JEWS AND OTHER MINORITY GROUPS'

Carey McWilliam Sees Rising Tensions,  
Decade of Increasing Social Unrest

By LEWIS GINSBERG

National Jewish Post Correspondent

ST. PAUL, Minn. (NJP)—Religious and political tensions are mounting and the American people "stand on the threshold of a decade of great social unrest," author Carey McWilliams told The Post in an exclusive interview.

The prominent sociologist and liberal writer, who visited the Twin Cities to deliver the annual Brotherhood Week convocation address at the University of Minnesota, averred that rising tensions, now higher than at any time in the past decade, hold "real significance for Jews and other minority groups."

## 'STRANGE IMPASSE'

He described the country as "confused and frustrated" as a result of conflicting appeals, international conditions and the strange impasse occasioned by the Korean War.

Terming the general national situation "dangerous," McWilliams declared that "civil liberties are under assault." He scored the administration's inadequacy in relieving national fears and pointing the way to the eradication of racial and religious discrimination.

"The patient is ill. When sickness is present, the anti-Semitic fever chart goes up," he stated. Anti-Semitism correlates with the state of society and rises as tensions rise, McWilliams added.

## REACTIONARY ROOT

McWilliams reported that a cursory survey of conditions in Minneapolis tends to indicate that the city is no longer "the capital of anti-Semitism." Several

years ago the visitor assigned that notorious epithet to Minneapolis.

The former Commissioner of Immigration and Housing for the state of California asserted that "the general root of the country is reactionary." Even the one-time vocal advocates of FEPC are now cool to indifferent, he stated.

McWilliams believes that the fervor for civil rights legislation attained its peak in 1948, and contends that the drive for civil rights is now "dead as a dodo." He avers that during the last year the administration has shown no real leadership on civil rights.

## LOST MOMENTUM

"Groups seeking to broaden minority rights have lost momentum and many of them are simply organized futility," he said.

"There has been no serious effort to get the civil rights program through congress and we have no chance of passage of any portion of the program in this

congress," McWilliams asserted. He blames a northern Republican-Dixiecrat coalition for this lapse.

The recent racial violence in Florida is but the harbinger of further trouble in the South, according to the writer.

"Though they don't make the bombs and they don't ignite and throw them, some of the Democratic governors of the southern states by their actions and decisions seem to have given a green light to the hate mongers. When men such as Gov. Byrnes of South Carolina indicate that they will defy an order of the U. S. Supreme Court, it is interpreted by crackpots on a lower level as meaning, 'Boys, we don't have to put up with these people that we don't like,' McWilliams said.

## HITS F.B.I.

He scored the F.B.I. for a languid approach to the Florida bombing investigations. "Permitting these bombings to go unremedied by indictment and convictions is an open invitation to further violence," he said.

The two-time Guggenheim Fellowship winner feels that significant gains were registered up to 1948 in combating discrimination, and that these gains have encouraged minorities to strengthen their efforts in the struggle for equality. He suggests that the violence of the opposition is due to these same gains. "The bigots," he asserts, "are trying not merely to arrest progress, but actually to erase it."

## SEES TIEUP

McWilliams noted a relationship in cause between the Florida and Philadelphia outbreaks.

"Gains in combatting discrimination are now slower in forthcoming. The bigots sense that the crest of the forward movement has subsided and they have decided that now is the time for them to take action," he theorized.

This, he feels, has given rise to the present bombings. He maintains that civic defense agencies have lost their momentum, their sense of direction and dynamics and consequently the bigots have caught them ill prepared and off balance. We do not have the legislation and instruments to fight the bigots, he pointed out.

## 'COWARD'S WEAPON'

He styled dynamite bombs "a coward's weapon."

McWilliams indicated that these bombs are being utilized as a method of social control in place of the lynchings and floggings of two decades ago because they can be planted in secret during the night hours and the bigots consequently run less risk of being apprehended. He stressed the urgency of arousing national public opinion to cope with the bigots.

"Private little gestapos have sprung up all over the land with private blacklists. In their arrogance they try to say who shall work and who shall be allowed to speak," he said. "These little gestapos rule America at present and are having a disastrous effect on civil rights," he continued. "We are now in the midst of the greatest witch-hunt in history,"

McWilliams emphasized.

While he presents an ominous description of the current scene, McWilliams foresees a bright future.

He declared that all "this anti business is a hang-over from an old kind of America." He predicted the advent of an astonishing kind of general maturity.

"The bigots cannot turn back the clock. By 1970, all organized discrimination will be wiped out," he asserted. The only question remaining is whether the goal will be achieved "with ease and dispatch or through the conflict that looms."

## HITS REARMAMENT

McWilliams attacked the proposed re-armament of Germany and apparent endeavors to "whitewash the Nazi record." He berated public officials who permitted the entry into the U. S. of Dr. Walter P. Schreiber, accused of complicity in Nazi medical atrocities. Dr. Schreiber had been employed by the U. S. Army Air Force. (NJP, May 2, 1952)

He cited the attempt of a radio news commentator to cleanse Germany of gas chamber and crematorium crimes. "The killing of six million Jews is being made to sound like a fairy tale," he charged. "What are our young people to think?"

## NOT ASSIMILATION

Despite current tensions, McWilliams contends that Jews do have a future as Jews in the United States. He asserted that "assimilation is not the solution" to the problem of discrimination. "The initiative in combatting anti-Semitism does not rest with the Jews," he added.

He dismissed instances of Jewish discrimination and bigotry against other minorities as reflecting the pattern of society. "It is a reflex action and to be

expected so long as there is general discrimination," he maintained.

The visitor lauded the cohesiveness of Jewish communities even in relatively good situations. He attributes this to "genuine values" in the community.

Pointing to Los Angeles' rapidly expanding Jewish community, McWilliams noted that newcomers seek more than self-integration. They desire the betterment of the community as evidenced by the rapid erection of synagogues and other community institutions to meet the needs of a growing populace.

## BRANDED SUBVERSIVE

McWilliams' appearance at the university convocation was protested in a 33-page letter to university officials by Lewis L. Drill, a St. Paul attorney. Drill accused the author of having belonged or belonging to several organizations branded as "subversive" or "Communist" by the attorney general.

McWilliams told his convocation audience, reportedly the largest at the university this year, that he is indebted to his accuser. "It is difficult to get the majority to listen to the minority viewpoint. Our enemies solve the problem by stirring up a fuss and assuring us a larger audience than we might otherwise have," he said. "I wish to thank Mr. Drill for assuring me this fine audience today," he added.

McWilliams denied being a member of "subversive" and "Communists" groups.

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